BEFORE THE OFFICE OF CAMPAIGN FINANCE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA BOARD OF ELECTIONS AND ETHICS FRANK D. REEVES MUNICIPAL BUILDING 2000-14th STREET, N.W., SUITE 420

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IN THE MATTER OF	}	DATE: September 8, 2003
Venida Brown Senior Assessor (Former) Office of Tax and Revenue 3702 Enders Lane Bowie, Maryland 20716))))	DOCKET NO.: 03F-021
Bowie, Maryland 20710	,	

ORDER

This matter came before the Office of Campaign Finance (OCF) upon inquiry conducted by OCF that, pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 1-1106.02 (2001 Edition), Venida Brown (hereinafter Respondent) failed to timely file by June 19, 2003, a Financial Disclosure Statement (FDS) for calendar year 2002.

Upon review of the record herein, I find that the respondent filed a final FDS on August 14, 2003, reflecting her departure from the District government on March 7, 2003. Respondent asserted that her failure to file an FDS with OCF was unintentional and due to her assumption that her filing obligations terminated upon the conclusion of her employment. I further find that the respondent is currently in compliance with the statute.

WHEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Notice of Hearing, Statement of Violations and Order of Appearance issued in this matter be hereby vacated.

Cecily E. Collier-Montgomery Director IN THE MATTER OF: Venida Brown

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SERVICE OF ORDER

This is to certify that I have served a true copy of the foregoing order.

Rose Rice Legal Assistant

NOTICE

Pursuant to 3DCMR §3711.5 (1999), any fine imposed by the Director shall become effective on the 16th day following the issuance of a decision and order, if the respondent does not request an appeal of this matter. If applicable, within 10 days from the effective date of this order, please make a check or money order payable to the D.C. Treasurer, c/o Office of Campaign Finance, Suite 420, 2000-14th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20009.